

Climate Change and Energy Study *Workshop*

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RETA: Addressing Climate Change in Asia and the Pacific (1)

- To improve region-specific knowledge and understanding of climate change challenges facing the Asia-Pacific region
- To make suggestions for policy makers and development planners about measures to address climate change in selected areas

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Main output: Three publications in the context of the Asia and Pacific region

- Climate Change and Energy
- Building Climate Resilience in Agriculture Sector
- Climate Change and Migration

Implementation Arrangements

- ADB (executing agency)
- RSDD (nodal department) - overall coordination
- Study teams: Agriculture (IFPRI), Energy (TERI) and Migration (Adelaide University)
- Working Group and Internal Review Team
- Outputs for review by selected regional/global experts & institutions of high repute
- Publish & disseminate well before Copenhagen Conference of the Parties

CC & Energy Study: Scope (1)

- Describe the current and projected energy scenario and GHG emissions. Comment on the demand projections.
- Analysis of recent experiences in energy efficiency, cleaner use of fossil fuel, and diversification of energy supply; what works well, what does not work well, & what shows greater promise.
- Analyze market/commercial/financing issues and role of private sector among other things.
- Analysis of technological gap, recent trends, key barriers to transfer/development and dissemination of new technologies including legal, institutional, financial, capacity & infrastructure factors.

CC & Energy Study: Scope (2)

- Technical and financial feasibility of new technologies including CCS technologies
- Changes needed in other sectors to support CE/EE/energy security
- Regional and sub-regional cooperation
- Existing policies and future plans of selected governments
- Recommendations covering policy, regulation, institutions and infrastructure.

CC & Energy Study: Scope (3)

In brief,

- More about energy security in the context of climate change rather than climate change per se.
- Mainly focus on areas of convergence between energy security and climate change.
- Main objective is to advance energy efficiency and clean energy agenda with focus on two aspects – financing (both public and private including commercial financing), and technology transfer and diffusion issues.
- Also cover changes needed in other sectors and regional cooperation to support CE/EE/energy security
- Recommendations covering policy, regulation, institutions and infrastructure.

Work Plan/Schedule (1)

A. Preparation of the documents: November 2008 – June 2009

- Inception workshop – 24 Nov 2008
- TERI Workshop – 9-10 February 2009
- Mid-term report – 15 March 2009
- Workshop with DMC representatives – 26-27 March 2009
- First full draft along with appendices and statistical tables – end-April/early-May 2009
- Review and workshop to discuss the first full draft – by 25 May 2009
- Final draft of the study – by 15 June 2009

Work Plan/Schedule (2)

B. Editing and printing: 16 June – 30 August 2009

- Economic or subject expert edited version of the study – by 15 July 2009
- Copy edited version of the study – by 15 August 2009
- Type setting and printing – by 30 August 2009

C. Release: 16/17 June – 30 August 2009

- Presentation of findings in the climate and clean energy week, 15-19 June 2009
- Formal launch and release – 30 August 2009

This Workshop

- Important to advance knowledge and add value especially by capturing recent experiences
- Feedback of experts from DMCs will be useful
- Discussion about developments and experiences across the region
- Next step – preparation of the first full draft of the study.

Thank you!

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